GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS – Grant of Petroleum Mining Lease (PML) for Oil & Natural Gas over an extent of 35.56 Sq.Kms for Kavitam in Kavitam Block West Godavari District for a period up to 31.12.2040 in favour of M/s. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited., under rule 5(1) (ii) of Petroleum & Natural Gas Rules, 1959 - Orders - Issued.

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INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 17 Dated: 12-02-2025

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.58 Ind & Comm (Mines-III), Dated.13.10.2020.
2. From the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Govt of India, Letter No Expl-12032(11)/1/2021-EXPL-II-PNG, dated: 03.11.2022.
3. M/s Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited Application dated:28.08.2024 for grant of subject PML.
4. From the CDM&G, AP, single e-file bearing Comp No.2542334, Dt: 09.01.2025.

O R D E R:

In the G.O 1st read above, the Government have granted Petroleum Mining Lease for Crude Oil and Natural Gas over an extent of 156.35 Sq.Km 1B-KG on land Kavitam in West Godavari District for a period of 20 years w.e.f. 12.10.2007 to 11.10.2027 in favour of M/s.ONGC Ltd under rule 5(1)(ii) of P&NG Rules, 1959.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the Government of India conveyed the approval for grant of Petroleum Mining Lease (PML) over an extent of 35.56 Sq.Kms for Kavitam in Kavitam Block West Godavari District for a period up to 31.12.2040 in favour of M/s. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited. In the reference 3rd read above, M/s. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited has filed an application for grant with the following documents for the said PML;

a. Mineral Concession Application Form filed by Surface Manager, ONGC, Rajahmundry, through Asst.Director of Mines and Geology, Rajahmundry.
b. Challan No.4641, dt.30.08.2007 for an amount of Rs.80,000/- towards application fee and Preliminary expenses.
c. An amount of Rs.8,00,000/- towards Security Deposit paid in the form of National Savings Certificates No's 61EE226791 to 61EE226810 (20 No's each Rs.10,000/-).
d. Location map of PML area of Kavitam Area over an extent of 156.35 Sq.Km with specified Geographical Co-ordinates.
e. Rs.8,40,000/- vide Challan No.81356840432024, dated. 27.12.2024 towards differential application fee, preliminary expenses and security deposit amounts.

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3. In the single e-file 4th read above, the Commissioner & Director of Mines and Geology, A.P., has recommended for grant of Petroleum Mining Lease (PML) for Oil & Natural Gas over an extent of 35.56 Sq.Kms for Kavitam in Kavitam Block West Godavari District for a period up to 31.12.2040 in favour of M/s. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited.

4. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby grant Petroleum Mining Lease (PML) for Oil & Natural Gas over an extent of 35.56 Sq.Kms for Kavitam in Kavitam Block West Godavari District for a period up to 31.12.2040 in favour of M/s. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited., under rule 5(1) (ii) of Petroleum & Natural Gas Rules, 1959, subject to satisfaction of all other terms and conditions laid down under the Oil Fields (Regulation & Development) Act, 1948 and Petroleum and Natural Gas Rules, 1959 and also standing instructions and guidelines issued by Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, GoI from time to time.

5. This Grant is liable for cancellation, and also if it is found at later date that it was grossly inequitable or was made under a mistake of fact or owing to misrepresentation or fraud in excess of authority.

6. The Commissioner & Director of Mines & Geology, Government of A.P., shall take necessary further action accordingly, after satisfying himself that the grantee fulfils all the required terms and conditions as stipulated in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MUKESH KUMAR MEENA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (MINES) (FAC)

To
The Commissioner & Director of Mines & Geology, Ibrahimpatnam, NTR District.
M/s ONGC Limited, Rajahmandry Assest, SB-13, Godavari Bhawan,
Rajahmandry, East Godavari District.

Copy to:
The Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, East Godavari District.
The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, East Godavari District.
The District Collector, East Godavari District.
The Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India
The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Sastry Bhavan,
New Delhi - 110001.
The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines,
Nagpur - 440001.
The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkand.
The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.
SF/SCs.

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SECTION OFFICER